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MOOD:  thoughtful

MUSIC: Amanda Palmer - The Point of it All

It's that time of year--the Big National Tree is up and lit, the weather is cold and soggy, the stores are full of Great! Gift! Ideas!, the canned music is 100% Xmas, and the Salvation Army (who no longer get my spare change) are clanging away outside the supermarket.

I've always been a geek for Christmas. It makes me sappy and sentimental. It makes me want to pull out all those holiday traditions that aren't actually traditional for anyone I know, because nobody I know just fell out of a Norman Rockwell painting.

This year... It seems different. Less festive and giddy and wish-fulfillment-y. More solemn. Christmas seems like a held breath this year, like a moment of balance before our next big transformation. No less good than the years before; just more grown-up, somehow.

Four months away from my two-year anniversary on the job. It can't have been that long. Or that short.



Thank you

This is Patricia Andreoli, wife of Daphne Worth, who you all knew as Trollcatz. Daphne died

...And there goes the weekend

But hey, we got a day and a half of this one! And I got to sleep in for two whole mornings. Too bad

As a law

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professional--

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 **Ometotchtli**



December 5 2008, 12:12:39 UTC COLLAPSE

But you have always been a part of the clan!



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December 5 2008, 17:16:52 UTC COLLAPSE

Then you can explain why, when I read that comment, I heard Adrien Paul's voice saying "There can be only one!" XD

This office would make a great Rockwell Saturday Evening Post cover. Title: "Your Tax Dollars At Work." Depicting the Waltzing Incident, preferably.




 Ometotchtli

December 5 2008, 20:12:26 UTC COLLAPSE

That part of *Highlander* always bugged me. Why can there be only one? And *who says so*? And are they telling me that people who've lived for hundreds of freakin' years can't find a better way to interact with their own kind than to squawk, "ThereCanBeOnlyOne!" and lop each other's heads off?



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December 5 2008, 20:14:12 UTC COLLAPSE

Well, remember, if you win you *do* get the mac daddy orgasm of the universe. It probably reinforces the antisocial tendencies.